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1. REVELATIONS BY SAG SECRETARY FOR INFORMATION, DR.ESCHEL RHOODIE, THAT HE HAS MADE CLANDESTINE CONTACT TRIPS TO BLACK AFRICA (REFTEL) HAS PROMPTED A SPOKESMAN FOR AT LEAST ONE COUNTRY TO EXPRESS REGRET OVER RHOODIE'S INDISCRETION. UNCLASSIFIED

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FOLLOWING REPORT, DATELINED PARIS, APPEARED IN NOVEMBER 13 CAPE

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2. 'SENEGAL IS UNHAPPY AT THE MONDAY ANNOUNCEMENT IN SOUTH AFRICA THAT THE INFORMATION DEPARTMENT HEAD, DR.ESCHEL RHOODIE, VISITED THE COUNTRY RECENTLY, A SOURCE CLOSE TO PRESIDENT LEOPOLD SENGHOR SAID HERE YESTERDAY. HE SAID: 'DR.RHOODIE ASKED US ONE YEAR AGO FOR A VISA, AND IT WAS GRANTED FINALLY ON THE CONDITION THAT HIS VISIT WAS STRICTLY PRIVATE AND THAT ON HIS RETURN HE WOULD NOT PUBLICIZE HIS TRIP.'

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